

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTERDocket No.
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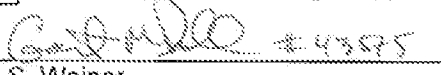
Invention: RUBBER COMPOSITION FOR FUEL CELL SEALS, TOP COVER GASKETS FOR HARD DISK DRIVES AND CABLE CONNECTOR SEALS, AND USES THEREOF

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | |
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| Other fee (please specify): Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 CFR 1.114) | | | | | 790.00 |
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☒ Large Entity☐ Small Entity☐ No additional fee is required for this amendment.☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$ 790.00.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 02-2448
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ Credit any overpayment.☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.
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